

SUPPLY TO THE SANDAL OIL FACTORY, BANGALORE.

Range	Area of exploitation	Nearest Railway Station	Distance
Bangalore	CASUARINA FUEL SUPPLY.		
	Kodigihalli ...	Yelahanka ...	1 to 2 miles.
	Jarakanabande ...	Do ...	Do
	Bettahalli ...	Do ...	Do
	Kadugodi ...	Whitefield ...	1 mile.
	Tindal ...	Devanagundi ...	1 mile.
	Nallal ...		
	Jadagenahalli ...	Whitefield ...	12 miles.
	Appasandra ...		
	Kenchanaपुरa ...	Dodbele ...	
	Arkavati ...	Chikbanavara ...	3 miles.
	Govindapura ...		
	Machohalli ...		12 miles direct carting to the Factory to be done.

(About 2,000 tons of casuarina fuel to be extracted from dead and dying trees marked by the department from these plantations.)

JUNGLEWOOD FUEL SUPPLY.

Bangalore ... Ujjini Forest W. C. 1 Coupes 6 to 10, Maklidrug ... 8 to 15 miles.
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(About 1,500 tons of fuel of the specification required by the Superintendent, Sandal Oil Factory, Bangalore, to be extracted and supplied.)

C. H. EAGLES,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 18th May 1923.

The purchaser of fuel in *Bidarerajan Amrut Mahal kaval* of the Tumkur Range having failed to pay up the full sale amount and to execute the necessary muchalika after furnishing the required security it is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of cutting and removing fuel trees in the said *Bidarerajan Amrut Mahal kaval* previously sold on 29th March 1923, in accordance with the notification dated 1st March 1923, published in page 134, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th March 1923, will be resold by the undersigned on the 4th day of June 1923 at 2 P.M., in the travellers' bungalow at Gubbi subject to the condition of the original sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser. The right of cutting and removal of trees will extend over a period commencing from the date of confirmation of the resale up to the 30th June 1923. The full sale amount must be paid immediately after the close of the sale.

V. ETHIRAJULU NAIDU,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification of sale of timber, dated 19th May 1923.

The timber of defaulting purchasers will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, commencing from the 7th June 1923 :—

Serial No.	Name of depot	Date and hour of sale	Place of sale
1	Hampapur	7th June 1923 at 2 P.M.	Hampapur.
2	Sargur		
3	Begur		
4	Ballegadda	8th June 1923 at 2 P.M.	Begur.
5	Antharsanthe		
6	Sunkadakatte	9th June 1923 at 2 P.M.	Antharsanthe.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice will be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid not later than the 20th June 1923. The monies shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the 20th June 1923, the initial deposit as well as the other monies already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for, shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, including the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber, until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the 20th June 1923. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale of the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

Notification dated 23rd May 1923. ■

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, till the 20th June 1923, for the supply of the following kinds and quantities of rations to the departmental elephants working in the district, commencing from 1st July 1923 to 31st December 1923.

2. For the convenience of the tenderers, the several ranges in which the elephants have been working, are arranged into two groups *vis.*—

(1) Group "A"—1. Ainurmarigudi, 2. Begur, 3. Kakankote and 4. Heggaddevankote Ranges.

(2) Group "B"—1. Hondrabal, 2. Chamrajnagar and 3. Maddur Ranges.

3. Tenders will be received either for both the groups or separately for each and must be submitted in the following form giving rates for the supply of each kind of rations noted below:—

1. For the elephants working in the ranges of Group A.

(a) Paddy	...	150 pallas	...	} More or less.
(b) Salt	...	$\frac{3}{4}$ palla	...	
(c) Castor oil	...	8 Maunds	...	

2. For the elephants working in the ranges of Group B.

(a) Paddy	...	75 pallas	...	} More or less.
(b) Salt	...	$\frac{1}{4}$ palla	...	
(c) Castor oil	...	3 Maunds	...	

5. In the case of ranges of Group A, the supply of rations should be made once in a week either at Begur, or Kakankote, or both the places as the Range Officers may direct, and in the case of Ranges of Group B, at Hondrabal or Chamrajnagar, or at both the places.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed as "TENDER FOR THE SUPPLY OF RATIONS TO ELEPHANTS."

7. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejection of the same.

8. The name of the successful tenderer will be notified in due course on the Notice Board of the District Forest Office, Mysore District, and the tenderer should, within a week of the intimation thereof, enter into an agreement for the due fulfilment of the contract duly furnishing a cash security deposit of Rs. 200 in the Government Treasury inclusive of the amount of earnest money already paid. In default to execute the bond and to furnish security deposit, the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

9. The tenderer should supply the rations in time and at the appointed places and should also be prepared to remove and replace any provisions which may be rejected by the Range Officers.

10. Once in a month, the tenderers of Groups A and B will be paid through the Range Officers of Kakankote and Hondrabal respectively for the value of the rations that may be supplied during the month on a bill to be prepared and sent to this office for sanction along with the receipts previously obtained by him for the supply of rations to the Range Officers.

11. The earnest money of the rejected tenderers will be returned to them immediately if they happen to be present at the time of opening of tenders, and to others, by post at their cost.

12. In all cases of disputes concerning the contract, the decision of the Conservator of Forests will be treated as final.

FORM OF TENDER.

Serial No.	Name of provision	Quantity	Rate	Remarks (Here state whether for one group or for both the groups)

M. MACHAYA,
District Forest Officer.